

**ANNOUNCEMENT TO SHIPPING
IJmond North Sea Canal Area
Central Nautical Management**

Announcement No. 33/2024

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Subject: Second pilot on board

The Director of the Central Nautical Management, who is also the State Harbour Master, announces the following:

With effect from 9 June 2024, a second pilot will be required on board the following seagoing ships:

- Departing car carriers with length over all greater than 180 m leaving the Westhaven stern first.

Due to the special circumstances such as the ship's construction and the resulting limited visual visibility astern, in combination with tug assistance, the requirement of listening out on the VHF, and the communication on the VTS sector channel, the above-mentioned ships under the above-mentioned circumstances are required to take a second pilot on board as from 9 June 2024.

Should you have any questions about this Announcement, please contact the Duty Operations Manager at the following telephone number: +31 205 234 692.

The Director of the Central Nautical Management, who is also the State Harbour Master,

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